





## Permanent HHW Centers Open to All Residents

Many times, residents need to get rid of Household Hazardous Waste in a hurry due to last-minute planning for an upcoming move and there is no HHW Roundup event near them for several weeks. In an effort to meet the needs of these residents, and provide for the safe disposal of HHW and e-waste, the City of Los Angeles now operates four permanent collection centers that are open to all County of Los Angeles residents. The centers are currently operated by the City and partially funded by the County. More centers are planned for the future.

These S.A.F.E. (Solvents Automotives Flammables and Electronics) collection centers accept a variety of residential materials — paint and solvents, used motor oil, pool and garden chemicals, computer equipment, televisions, cell phones and other electronic items. For more information about the SAFE collection centers, call 1-800-98-TOXIC or visit www.larecycles.org. You can also find info on the HHW Schedule page of www.888CleanLA.com.

SAFE Collection Centers hours of operation are 9 am to 3 pm and can be found at the following locations:

Hyperion Treatment Plant 7660 W. Imperial Highway, Gate B Playa Del Rey, CA 90293 Saturdays and Sundays

11025 Randall St. Sun Valley, CA 91352 Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays

1400 N. Gaffey Street San Pedro, CA 90731 Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays

2649 E. Washington Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90021
Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays

Rancho Palos Verdes

Rolling Hills Estates

Rolling Hills

San Marino

Santa Clarita

## Fall community clean-up events

Timed to coincide with the end of summer and the beginning of the rainy season, this month the County's stormwater pollution prevention program will host two community clean-up events to help engage County residents in making a positive impact on their local environment.

The first event will be held on Saturday,
October 11th from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. at Eastman
Avenue Elementary School in East Los Angeles.
The second community clean-up event will be held
Saturday, October 18th from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. at
Edward Vincent, Jr. Park in the City of Inglewood.

During both events residents and students from local schools will help to clean nearby neighborhoods by picking up trash from sidewalks, gutters and streets. Afterwards, all volunteers will receive a certificate of appreciation for their involvement, as well as information on how to continue to help reduce pollution in LA County. The events will also include free refreshments, giveaway items and t-shirts, and boast an educational and fun atmosphere for both children and adults.

In addition to the clean-up volunteers, the County has invited local corporate and community partners to participate by:

- Providing in-kind donations of bottled water, snacks and goodie bag favors.
- Helping to recruit volunteers (teams of 10) for trash collection.
- Underwriting material costs to defray the purchase of gloves, trash bags and other clean-up supplies.

If you would like to participate in either event or make a donation, please call Kimberly Lyman with the County of LA Department of Public Works at (626) 458-6533. ◆

## City contributions strengthen program

We would like to recognize and thank the following partners for contributions received thus far to the countywide stormwater media campaign:

Arcadia Huntington Park

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Hermosa Beach Palos Verdes Estates

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Please submit articles or event information four weeks in advance to Lisa Page at lisa.page@ogilvypr.com For info call 1 (888) CLEAN LA

October 11th

9 am - 11 am **Smart Gardening Workshops** 

Long Beach - Birney Elementary School - 710 W. Spring St. Torrance - Columbia Park - 4045 190th St.

9 am - 2pm

**East Los Angeles Community Clean-Up Event** 

East Los Angeles - Eastman Avenue Elementary School -Corner of Eastman Ave. and Olympic

9 am - 3 pm

**Household Hazardous Waste Collection** 

Rosemead - Southern California Edison - 2255 Walnut Grove Ave.

October 18th 9 am - 11 am

**Smart Gardening Workshop** 

Santa Clarita - Castaic Lake Water Agency - 27234 Bouquet Canyon Rd.

9 am - 2pm

9 am - 3 pm

Inglewood Community Clean-Up Event Inglewood - Edward Vincent, Jr. Park - Corner of Centinela & Warren Ln.

**Household Hazardous Waste Collection** 

Palmdale - Community Center/Children's Library -Sierra Highway and Avenue Q-6 (North of Palmdale Blvd.)

October 25th 9 am - 3 pm

**Household Hazardous Waste Collection** 

Monrovia - Monrovia City Yard - 600 S. Mountain Ave.



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